IDBI Study for Tannery and Footwear Corporation

4090. SHRI V. SREENIVASA PRASAD: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to refer to the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 80 on February 22, 1991 and state:

(a) whether the study team of the Industrial Development Bank of India for providing assistance to improve the performance of TAFCO did not include any leather expert;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) how the question of long term viability of the scheme was decided without inclusion of the leather expert in the study team;

(d) whether the Tannery and Footwear Corporation of India has submitted the revised broad based proposal for its modernisation and renovation to the IDBI for consideration; and

(e) if so, the decision taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI DALBIR SINGH): (a) to (c) The Industrial Development Bank of India (IDBI) has reported that the team which examined the rehabilitation scheme for providing assistance to improve the performance of TAFCO comprised qualified technical officers who have had experience in handling several leather projects assisted by IDBI. Further various technical aspects of the plant were looked into by the National Productivity Council, whose report was taken into consideration.

(d) Yes, Sir.

(e) The revised proposal was analysed by IDBI and a report submitted to Government which is under process.

Persons deprived of voting

4091. SHRI RAJENDRA KUMAR SHARMA: Will the Minister of LAW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether many persons were deprived of voting during the recently concluded Lok Sabha polls;

(b) if so, the total number of such persons in each State and Union Territory;

(c) in which State the missing number of voters was the highest; and

(d) the steps being taken by the Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LAW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI RANGARAJAN KUMARAMANGALAM): (a) to (d) The Election Commission received certain complaints regarding omission of names from the electoral rolls during the recently concluded Lok Sabha polls. A statement giving break-up of these complaints State-wise (including Union Territory-wise) is attached. It is not possible to find out actually how many persons were deprived of voting because of missing of their names from the electoral rolls since the complaints made may not give a full picture and for the same reason it is not possible to give a figure as to in which State the missing number of voters was the highest.